# **Amended Michigan Income Tax Return**

**MI-1040X** 

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1. E	inter calendar year or ending date of fiscal year (mo./day/y	yr.) of this retur	n					
IDE	NTIFICATION							
<b>&gt;</b> 2.	2. Filer's First Name, Middle Initial and Last Name					▶ 3. Filer's Social Security Number		
	If a Joint Return, Spouse's First Name, Middle Initial and Last Name					▶ 4. Spouse's Social Security Number		
	Home Address (No., Street, P.O. Box or Rural Route)		Office Use					
	City or Town Si	tate	ZIP C	Code				
	SIDENCY STATUS Resident Nonresident	Part-year R	esider			er Dates:		
	On Original Return			FROM:	TO:			
6. 0	On This Return			FROM:				
	NG STATUS Single Married - filing joi	intly Married -	filing	separately	<del></del>	er Spouse's Name:		
	On Original Return					•		
	On This Return							
	MPTIONS Federal exemptions		M	lichigan Special Exemp	otions (Evr	olain on		
	On Original Return					42-45)		
10. C	On This Return		–			,		
INC	COME, ADDITIONS and DEDUCTIONS			A. On Original Return	B. Net Change	C. Correct Amount		
11. /	Adjusted gross income. Explain changes on line 46		11.					
	Additions to adjusted gross income							
13.	Fotal income. Add lines 11 and 12		13.					
	Subtractions from adjusted gross income							
15. I	Balance. Subtract line 14 from line 13		15.					
	Exemption allowance. Multiply number of exemptions by							
á	applicable amount (see instructions)		16.					
17.	Faxable income. Subtract line 16 from line 15		. 17.					
	Fax. Multiply line 17 by tax rate (see instructions)							
	Contributions to CTF/Nongame Wildlife 1999 and before							
	Jse Tax Due. (Tax year 1999 and after)							
21. /	Add lines 18, 19 and 20		- 21.					
	NREFUNDABLE CREDITS							
	ncome tax paid to Michigan cities credit							
	Public contributions credit							
24. (	Community foundations credit		24.					
25. I	Homeless/food bank credit		25.					
	ncome tax paid to another state credit							
	Historic Preservation Tax Credit (Tax year 1999 and after)							
28. (	College tuition and fees credit		28.					
	Fotal nonrefundable credits. Add lines 22 through 28		29.					
	Balance. Subtract line 29 from line 21.							
	If line 29 is greater than line 21, enter "NONE.")		30.					
	FUNDABLE CREDITS and PAYMENTS	404000 0)						
	Homestead Property Tax Credit (attach MI-1040CR or MI-				▶ 31. ► 32			
	Farmland Preservation Tax Credit (attach MI-1040CR-5)				<b>▶ 32.</b>			
	Qualified Adoption Expense (tax year 2001 and after)				33.	24		
	Michigan income tax withheld (if amending, attach state or					34. 35.		
	Michigan estimated tax, credit forward and extension payn Amount paid with original return, plus additional tax paid a				2			
	Total credits and payments. Add lines 31 through 36 of co	nuitiii C			3	7 <u>.00</u>		
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30. I	Refund, if any, shown on original return  Enter the difference between lines 37 and 38. (If a negativ	/e amount see	inetru	etions )	ىى بە	600 900		
	f line 30, column C, is greater than line 39, enter BALANC		เมอแน		s	J. <u>.00</u>		
	nclude interest and penalty		اف قو	e instructions)	k 4	<b>0</b>		
	f line 30, column C, is less than line 39, enter REFUND to		,		<b>.</b> 4			

	Check a box and/or enter a num imed on your original return.	nber for all tha		oly (see instructions) Exemptions claime		1.	
Age 65 or older Deaf Blind or disable Unemployment For tax years 1 of children cla Ages 6 and und Ages 7 - 12 For tax years to	\$300 beginning with 2000	be 50% of AG		Number of Federa Age 65 or older Deaf Blind or disabled* Unemployment cor For tax years 199 of children claime Ages 6 and under Ages 7 - 12 For tax years beg number of childres s totally and permaner	mpensation 8 and 1999 numed as an exemp inning with 200 en 18 and under	(must be 50 nber stion \$600	
44. List all your dep	pendents and answer all question	ns for each d	epend	dent (E-H answer 'y	es' or 'no'). Attac	ch separate sheet i	f necessary.
A Name	B Social Security Number	C Relationship	D Age	E Did the dependent file a federal return and claim exemption for self?	F Did you provide more than half the dependent's support?	G Did the dependent live with you more than 6 months during the year?	H Was this dependent claimed on you original return?
45. Explain change	in number of dependents.						
<b>EXPLANATIONS</b> 46. Explain change	S of CHANGES s to income, deductions and cre	dits. Show co	omput	ations in detail and	attach applicable	e schedules.	
DECLADATION	C. Cian halour If filing iain	the bath h	uaha	nd and wife mus	at olem		
DECLARATIONS - Sign below. If filing jointly, both husb  I declare under penalty of perjury that the information in this return and attachments is complete to the best of my knowledge.  I authorize Treasury to discuss my return with my preparer. □ Yes □ No				le and I declai		<u> </u>	based on all
Filer's Signature			)	Пераге	i 3 Name, Address, i	THE AND TEN	
Spouse's Signature I			9				
	or c	call 1-800-F tional infor	ORM matic	at www.treasury I-2-ME (367-6263 on, call 1-800-48 persons call 517	5). 7-7000.	ΓΥ).	
Mailing Instructions	Refund or Credit:  Mail your return to:  Michigan Department of Lansing, MI 48956	of Treasury	s	ay: see the instructions fail check and retur	n to: Michiga	eck writing informand properties of the contract of the contra	

# INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE AMENDED MICHIGAN INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX RETURN (form MI-1040X)

#### **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

## **Purpose of Form**

Use this form to correct income tax returns, credit claims and schedules.

#### To Amend Credit Claims

If you are correcting a credit claim originally filed on a *Michigan Homestead Property Tax Credit Claim* (MI-1040CR), a *Michigan Homestead Property Tax Credit Claim for Veterans and Blind People* (MI-1040CR-2), a *Farmland Preservation Tax Credit Claim* (MI-1040CR-5), *Michigan Historic Preservation Tax Credit* (3581), or *Qualified Adoption Expenses* (MI-8839) file an MI-1040X and attach the corrected credit claim.

**Important note for MI-1040CR-7 filers.** When correcting an MI-1040CR-7, file a CR-7 for the appropriate year and write "amended" at the top. An amended claim <u>requesting an additional refund</u> will <u>not</u> be accepted after September 30, following the year of the claim.

#### **To Amend Schedules**

To avoid processing delays, if the change on your income tax return is the result of a change to a schedule, attach a copy of the corrected schedule to your MI-1040X. This applies to federal schedules as well as Michigan schedules.

## **Information on Income and Deductions**

If you have questions about what income is taxable or what is deductible, see the instructions for the MI-1040 return (and related schedules and forms) for the year you are amending. If you need forms, call 1-800-FORM-2-ME (367-6263). If you need help, call 1-800-487-7000.

#### When to File

File form MI-1040X only after you have filed your original return or claim. If you are claiming a refund on your amended return, you must file it within four years of the due date of your original return. For example, if you wish to amend a 1997 return, your MI-1040X must be postmarked by April 15, 2002.

#### **Interest and Penalty**

If your amended return results in tax due, include interest with your payment. Interest is 1 percent above the prime rate which is adjusted on July 1 and January 1. For information on interest rates call 1-800-487-7000. Penalty, if applicable, is 10 percent of the tax due (minimum \$10).

#### ROUNDING DOLLAR AMOUNTS

Round down all amounts less than 50 cents. Round up all amounts of 50 through 99 cents. Do <u>not</u> enter cents.

#### LINE-BY-LINE INSTRUCTIONS

Lines not listed are explained on the form.

**Lines 9 and 10:** Enter the number of federal exemptions and Michigan special exemptions claimed on your original return and claimed on this return. If you are changing the number of exemptions or exemption allowance you claimed on your original return, complete lines 42-45 on the back of the form.

Review the instruction booklet for the year that you are amending if you need definitions or more information.

**Lines 11 - 35:** Enter an explanation of changes to these lines on line 46 on the back of the form.

**Column A:** Enter the amounts shown on your <u>original</u> return or as adjusted due to an examination of your original return.

For example, John Smith filed his 1998 income tax return reporting an adjusted gross income of \$16,500 consisting of interest, dividends and rental income. Treasury examined his return and increased his adjusted gross income to \$17,200 after it was established that he had overlooked dividend income of \$700. Mr. Smith must now amend his 1998 return to report a \$900 casualty loss of rental equipment. He enters \$17,200 on line 11 in column A, \$900 in column B and \$16,300 in column C.

**Column C:** Report the corrected totals after taking into account the amounts of the increases or decreases shown in column B. If there are no changes, enter the amount reported in column A.

**Line 11:** If you are correcting the amount of wages or other employee compensation, attach the state copy of additional or corrected W-2 forms.

**Line 16:** Enter the exemption allowance based on the number of exemptions claimed on lines 9 and 10. Please note the exemption allowances below.

<u>Year</u>	Standar	d Exemption	Special	Exemption
1997	\$	2,500	\$	900
1998	\$	2,800	\$	900
1999	\$	2,800	\$	900
2000	\$	2,900	\$ 1	,800
2001	\$	2,900	\$ 1	,900

Filers who can be claimed as a dependent on someone else's return follow special rules. Refer to the instructions for the year being amended.

**Line 18:** Your taxable income must be multiplied by the rate in effect for the year you are amending. The following rates are applicable:

<u>Year</u>	Tax Rate		
1997 - 1999	4.4%		
2000 - 2001	4.2%		

If you are amending a return for a year not listed, contact Treasury for the correct rate.

**Line 20:** Amended use tax amounts will not be accepted on the MI-1040X. If you need to amend your use tax, write to Sales, Use and Withholding Taxes, 2nd Floor, Treasury Building, Lansing, MI 48922.

**Lines 22 - 30:** Enter changes in your nonrefundable credits. See instructions for the years you are amending to determine the amount of your credit, or adoption credit. Attach a copy of form 3581 if you are amending to claim a Historic Preservation Tax Credit.

**Lines 31 - 33:** Enter changes in your homestead property tax, farmland preservation credits. You must attach the appropriate amended claim form (MI-1040CR, CR-2, CR-5, or MI-8839 (Qualified Adoption Expenses).

**Line 34:** Enter the tax withheld by your employer. A corrected W-2 must be submitted if you are claiming an increase in tax withheld.

If you are claiming a repayment credit for tax paid on income reported in a previous year, add the amount of the credit to the Michigan tax withheld. Write the words "Claim of Right/Repayments" next to line 34.

**Line 35:** Enter total Michigan estimated tax payments, amounts credited forward from prior years, and any payment made with requests for extension.

**Line 36:** Enter the amount paid with your original return, and any additional tax paid after you filed your original return. Do not include interest or penalty payments.

**Line 38:** Enter the amount of refund you received (or expect to receive) from your original return. If you received more than one refund from the original return, include the total amount of refunds on this line, also include the amount to be credited to next year. Do <u>not</u> include interest received on your refunds.

Line 40: Enter balance due if line 30 (column C) is greater than line 39. If line 39 is a negative amount add it to line 30 to compute total tax due. Include interest with your payment. (See "Interest and Penalty" on the previous page.) Make checks payable to "State of Michigan" and write your Social Security number, the tax year(s) and the words "amended income tax" on the front of the check. Payment is not required if the tax due is less than \$1.

Mail your return and payment to:

Michigan Department of Treasury Lansing, MI 48929 **Line 41:** Enter refund amount if line 30 (column C) is less than line 39. If you are entitled to a refund larger than the amount claimed on your original return, enter only the additional refund due.

Mail your return to:

Michigan Department of Treasury Lansing, MI 48956

### **Exemptions**

Complete lines 42-45 if you are changing the number of exemptions or exemption allowance you originally claimed. On line 42, enter the number to indicate the exemptions you originally claimed. On line 43, enter the number to indicate the exemptions you wish to claim on this amended return. Use the instructions below.

**Federal exemption for self:** This is the exemption that you are allowed to claim on your U.S. *1040* return. If you are a single filer enter 1. If you are married filing joint enter 2.

**Age 65 or older:** This special exemption is for individuals who reached age 65 before December 31 of the year you are amending. If you claim this exemption, you may <u>not</u> claim an exemption as a totally and permanently disabled person.

**Deaf:** To qualify for this exemption the primary way messages are received is through a sense other than hearing, for example: lip reading or sign language.

**Blind or disabled:** To qualify for this exemption an individual must be blind, hemiplegic, paraplegic, quadriplegic or totally and permanently disabled. Blind means your better eye permanently has 20/200 vision or less with corrective lenses, or your peripheral field of vision is 20 degrees or less. Totally and permanently disabled means disabled as defined under Social Security Guidelines 42 USC 416. Individuals 65 or older, may <u>not</u> claim an exemption as totally and permanently disabled.

**Unemployment compensation:** Check this box if 50 percent or more of your combined adjusted gross income on line 11 (column C) is from unemployment compensation.

**Child Care Deduction:** For tax years 1998 and 1999 deduct \$600 for each child 6 years of age and under, and \$300 for each child between 7 and 12, whom you can claim as an dependent.

Beginning with tax year 2000 a deduction of \$600 may be taken for each child 18 and under who is claimed as a dependent.

**Line 46:** Enter the line reference from page 1 for each line where a change is reported and give a detailed explanation of the reasons for the change. If you do not give an explanation, the processing of your return may be delayed.

